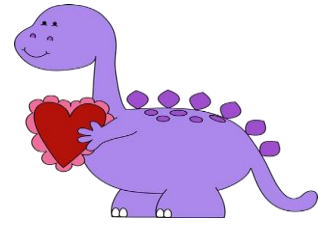


FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER ROOM 7



My Sweet Families,

My favorite month of the year is here! This is the month of friendship, kindness, and love. Please remember to hug your children and spend extra quality time with the individual they are. I am doing this in the classroom with all the students. I am noticing how much they are growing up and changing. It makes my heart warm. Room 7 has been reading How Full Is Your Bucket? We will be making paper buckets and taping them to our cubbies so that children from the class can fill them up with kindness.

In class, we just finished the Clock of Eons in Cultural, and will be unpacking the Timeline of Life. In math, we will be doing the hierarchy of numbers, writing and saying big numbers. In Biology, we are talking about animal taxonomy, putting animals in categories such as kingdom and phylum. We are studying vertebrates, invertebrates, and the six main kingdoms of life. Please bring in an egg carton for your child so that we can start plant kingdom, as well. We are all working on expository writing in writing group with informative texts. We are working hard on our handwriting, positioning our letters correctly. A lot is going on in Room 7, as we love to learn at Montessori Academy!

We will be having a Valentine's Celebration on the 14th, where they can bring a decorated box, wear pajamas, and bring a small flashlight for quiet reading, teaching them the art of being still.

IMPORTANT CLASSROOM DATES AND REMINDERS

Feb. 25-Talent Show (stay tuned for more information).

For Valentines, students can bring a decorated shoe box from home no earlier than Feb. 13. We have 17 students in the classroom.

*** If you would like to bring a Valentine's snack, please let me know.*

IMPORTANT ALL SCHOOL DATES AND REMINDERS

(For more information see school wide newsletter)

Mon., Feb. 14	Pajama Day. Bring in Valentine's box.
Fri., Feb. 18th.	No School (Teacher In- Service)
Mon., Feb. 21st.	No School (President's Day)